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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

THROUGH: TALENT Control Officer, CIA

SUBJECT: Individuals Present at National Security Council Meeting During TALENT Discussion

1. A review has been made of the clearances of those present at the National Security Council Meeting held at the White House, 1000 hours, 6 November 1958, at which time discussions were held and certain materials (overlays) derived from the TALENT Control System were utilized in a briefing given by Admiral John H. Sides, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

2. It has been established that the four individuals listed below, who were present at the 6 November National Security Council Meeting, do not possess TALENT clearance and have not been briefed.

Hon. Robert Anderson, Secretary of the Treasury
Hon. Leo A. Hoegh, Director of Defense Mobilization
General Wilton B. Persons, Special Assistant to the President
Major John Eisenhower, Assistant Staff Secretary, White House

3. RECOMMENDATION:

Inasmuch as the above named individuals have already been exposed to TALENT material and there is reason to believe that the first three will continue to be in regular attendance at all National Security Council meetings and since Major Eisenhower is an Assistant to General Goodpaster, it is recommended that approval be granted for the four individuals to be briefed into the TALENT Control System.

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